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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Bruce MCGARIAN )  
 ) Group Art Unit: 3672  
Application No.: 09/937,399 )  
 ) Examiner: J. H. GAY  
For: WHIPSTOCK CASING MILLING SYSTEM )

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated April 23, 2004, the period of response to which extends through July 23, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.